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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT A

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed April 16, 2008 in relation to the above referenced application. The Applicant respectfully requests entrance of the following Amendment into the case and consideration of the following remarks.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper. The Applicant submits that these amendments do not introduce any new matter.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.